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 S21 OR S23)
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7/3,K/1 (Item 1 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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2247175 Supplier Number: 02247175 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Safeco Small Company Stock
(Safeco Life Insurance underwrites the Safeco Life Spinnaker Plus Small
Company Stock, taking a straightforward investment strategy for the
subaccount)
Variable Annuity Market News, v V, n 8, p 6+
August 1998
DOCUMENT TYPE: Newsletter (United States)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 964

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:
...THE MANAGER

photo omitted

Greg Eisen

Age: 41
Education: B.A., Rutgers College

THE FUND
Allocation (%) (06-19-98) (*)
Common Stocks : 97.8
Cash: 2.2
Top 5 Sectors % (06-19-98) (*)
Technology 29.5
Consumer Cyclical 17.0
Financials 14.1
Consumer Staples...

7/3,K/2 (Item 2 from file: 9)
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2173162 Supplier Number: 02173162 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Deep DVD-Divx divide at NARM
(DVD player shipments reached 350,000 in 1997; 800 DVD movie and music
video titles available and 1,500 expected by end-1998)
One to One, n 94, p 14
May 1998
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal ISSN: 0268-8786 (United Kingdom)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 1859

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TEXT:
...gone into nationwide US distribution until last September. He pitched
DVD as the packaged media industry's best hope for holding off
alternative distribution options available to consumers: satellite TV
and cable or Internet-based digital networks.

Paul Culberg of...

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03886859 Supplier Number: 45592078
Brazil Fund - Company Report
Investext, p1-8
June 6, 1995
Language: English Record Type: Abstract
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

...population in the Western Hemisphere. Tables in report: Stock Price
And Market Data 1994-95; **Sector Breakdown 1995; Top Ten Stocks 1995;**
Distributions To Shareholders 1993-95; Shareholder Returns 1993-95;
Dividend Reinvestment 1988-95; Selected Economic Indicators...
19950606

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02839514 Supplier Number: 43820412
Concord, a Top Distributor, Expands Its Horizons
American Banker, p18
May 5, 1993
Language: English Record Type: Abstract
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

Concord Financial Group, a New York-based company specializing in
distributing bank-sponsored mutual funds, has become an industry
leader and is expanding for tomorrow. The company, under the leadership of
Richard Stierwalt, has become...
19930505

7/3,K/5 (Item 3 from file: 16)
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02696590 Supplier Number: 43600951 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Intel-Motorola Intimidation?
Electronic News (1991), p1
Jan 25, 1993
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 1032

... the absence of Arrow and Hall-Mark - the second and third largest
North American industrial distributors, respectively - IBM would find its
options for penetrating distribution 's upper-tier severely restricted.
Industry leader Avnet, like Wyle, reportedly has withdrawn itself from
consideration. Pioneer-Standard (No. 4) carries Intel...
19930125

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DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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04309451 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Business: Aberdeen Asset raises Pounds 100m to fund niche trust
IAN MCCONNELL, Deputy Business Editor
HERALD (UNITED KINGDOM), p20
February 11, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: FGH LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 594

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... of these shares than on purchasing in the market.
Currie sees a renaissance of the **split -capital investment trust** sector leading to a raft of new issues of zeros, which should keep the returns on this...

19990211

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04206663 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
First American National Bank Expands BISYS(R) Relationship
PR NEWSWIRE
February 02, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WPRW LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 1059

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BISYS Fund Services, the industry 's leading third-party administrator and distributor of domestic and offshore mutual funds , signed an extended contract to provide a variety of services for the ISG Funds, the...

19990202

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03958563 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Tuna and cocaine : The best stories aren't always the oes to hit the headlines
MATTHEW ENGEL
GUARDIAN
January 09, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: FGDN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 903

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... fishing fleets, with Mexico in the van.
The Mexican boats and canneries were privatised, with shares split among leading politicians; but the industry was hit b US legislation banning tuna caught with nets that killed dolphins. Huge political...

19990109

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02620381 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Regional Web Firm, TVisions, Continues To Beat National Players For Blue Chip Development Business; Wins 6 Major New Accounts for E-Commerce and Marketing Solutions
BUSINESS WIRE
August 26, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WBWE LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 536

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... for hard-to-find accessories, online support for its products and a secure Extranet for **distributors** ;

-- Fidelity **Investments** will extend its **industry** - leading site with a new campaign that highlights former fund manager Peter Lynch, and his investment...

19980826

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01710215 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Focus turns to finance blunderers NAP to hold poll on decrees

The Nation

NATION

May 25, 1998

JOURNAL CODE: WTNN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 779

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... also let the public know how the Bt700 billion, which would be obtained through the **bonds** , would be **allocated** to the real **sector** .

The Chat Thai **leader** said the Bank of Thailand should be more strict in monitoring and checking finance companies...

19980525

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01532650 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Postal Service Announces New ZIP Codes For 11 Cities and Towns in Eastern Massachusetts

PR NEWSWIRE

May 01, 1998 13:14

JOURNAL CODE: WPRW LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 1126

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... state of the art automated methods of mail processing and has been featured as an **industry leader** , because it **shares** the 021 **distribution** area with the remainder of the Boston District, most mail destinating at the facility to...

19980501

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00806389
SCHEDULING AND PLANNING BEFORE AND PROACTIVE MANAGEMENT DURING MAINTENANCE
AND SERVICE IN A NETWORK-BASED SUPPLY CHAIN ENVIRONMENT
PROGRAMMATION ET PLANIFICATION ANTICIPEE, ET GESTION PROACTIVE AU COURS DE
LA MAINTENANCE ET DE L'ENTRETIEN D'UN ENVIRONNEMENT DU TYPE CHAINE
D'APPROVISIONNEMENT RESEAUTEE
Publication Year: 2001

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00797970
INVESTMENT ADVICE SYSTEMS AND METHODS
SYSTEMES ET PROCEDES DE CONSEIL EN INVESTISSEMENTS
Publication Year: 2001

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00784125
SYSTEM, METHOD, AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR PIECEMEAL RETRIEVAL IN AN
INFORMATION SERVICES PATTERNS ENVIRONMENT
SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET ARTICLE DE FABRICATION DESTINES A LA RECHERCHE
FRAGMENTAIRE DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT DE MODELES DE SERVICES
D'INFORMATIONS
Publication Year: 2001

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00761429
METHODS, CONCEPTS AND TECHNOLOGY FOR A VIRTUAL SHOPPING SYSTEM CAPABLE OF
ASSESSING NEEDS OF A CUSTOMER AND RECOMMENDING A PRODUCT OR SERVICE
BASED ON SUCH ASSESSED NEEDS
PROCEDES, CONCEPTS ET TECHNOLOGIE POUR SYSTEME D'ACHAT VIRTUEL CAPABLE
D'EVALUER LES BESOINS D'UN CLIENT ET DE RECOMMANDER UN PRODUIT OU UN
SERVICE SUR LA BASE DE CES BESOINS
Publication Year: 2000

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SK SL TJ TM TR TT TZ UA UG UZ VN YU ZA ZW

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... accomplish certain tasks, and the programmer must still determine the
flow of control within each piece after it's called by the event loop.
Application code still "sits on top of...to a clients business.

Hardware Maintenance

Hardware Maintenance maintains all of the components within a
distributed system to protect the investment of the organization.
Generally agreed upon in the SLAs, maintenance contracts are carried out,
monitored...difficult to plan since users are distributed. Mass Storage
Management is more complex in a distributed environment as many more
storage options become available; storage may take place on disks,
tapes, etc.

Either centrally or de-centrally...

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01458548

Data warehouse model and methodology
Modell und Methodologie fur ein Datenlagerhaus
Modele de depot de donnees et methodologie
PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date): EP 1248216 A1 021009 (Basic)

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00979230

PROVIDING MARKETING DECISION SUPPORT
FOURNITURE D'UNE AIDE A LA DECISION DE MARKETING
Publication Year: 2003

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00965494

A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE LIQUIDITY OF A CREDIT
SYSTEME ET METHODE PERMETTANT DE DETERMINER LA LIQUIDITE D'UN CREDIT
Publication Year: 2002

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00943767

SYSTEM, METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR A SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT
SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET PRODUIT PROGRAMME INFORMATIQUE CONCUS POUR UNE GESTION
DE CHAINE D'APPROVISIONNEMENT
Publication Year: 2002

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00903294

METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PROVIDING EMPLOYMENT MANAGEMENT SERVICES OVER A
NETWORK
PROCEDES ET SYSTEMES DESTINES A FOURNIR DES SERVICES DE GESTION D'EMPLOI
SUR UN RESEAU
Publication Year: 2002

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00889265

COMPUTERISED FINANCIAL SERVICES METHOD
PROCEDE DE SERVICES FINANCIERS INFORMATISES
Publication Year: 2002

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00888171

A METHOD OF ALLOCATING RESOURCES
PROCEDE D'ALLOCATION DES RESSOURCES
Publication Year: 2002

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00886075

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ONLINE VALUATION AND ANALYSIS
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE D'EVALUATION ET D'ANALYSE EN LIGNE
Publication Year: 2002

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00881946

MARGIN SETTLEMENT FOR EXCHANGE-TRADED FUTURES CONTRACTS
REGLEMENT DE MARGES POUR CONTRATS A TERME NEGOCIABLES
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00837961

MENU DRIVEN MANAGEMENT AND OPERATION TECHNIQUE
GESTION PILOTEE PAR MENU ET TECHNIQUE DE FONCTION
Publication Year: 2001

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00793243

ORGANIZATION OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FUNCTIONS
ORGANISATION DE FONCTIONS DE TECHNOLOGIE DE L'INFORMATION
Publication Year: 2001

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00777985

TRUE DOLLAR FLOW INDICATOR SYSTEM
SYSTEME D'INDICATION DES COURS REELS EN DOLLARS
Publication Year: 2001

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00571538

SYSTEM FOR MODELING, MEASURING, MANAGING, AND DEPICTING THE EFFECTS OF
BUSINESS DECISIONS ON MARKET VALUE
SYSTEME DE MODELISATION, D'EVALUATION, DE GESTION ET DE DESCRIPTION DES
CONSEQUENCES DE DECISIONS COMMERCIALES SUR LA VALEUR MARCHANDE
Publication Year: 2000

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00467891

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING MULTIPLE FINANCIAL APPLICATIONS USING A
THREE-TIER VALUE NETWORK
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE DE TRAITEMENT D'APPLICATIONS FINANCIERES MULTIPLES AU
MOYEN D'UN RESEAU DES VALEURS A TROIS TIERS
Publication Year: 1998

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TM TR TT TZ UA UG US UZ VN YU ZA ZW GH GM KE LS MW SD SL SZ TZ UG ZW AM

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Claims

Detailed Description

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CR Company Records (company-specific data, but should be available)

PR Public Records (includes industry averages)

BE Best Estimate (variable that is not captured and/or measurable;
proxy

unlikely; correlation analysis may be...equivalent)

CR Company Records (company-specific data, but should be
available)

PR Public Records (includes industry averages)

BE Best Estimate (variable that is ...market believes a share is
worth. It is calculated by

taking the market value and dividing it by Outstanding Shares .

market - value = net-earnings*PE
multiplier

DOCUMENT: Firm market value.

materials - costs = producing
by
internal...

Claim

... or more methods described in claims 17 through 49.

51 A method of modeling asset investment allocations in an operating

business concern,
the method comprising:
defining tangible and intangible assets as having...

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... insurance companies, brokerage houses, and other financial
institutions. The financial services.

industry has traditionally been divided into three distinct segments:
banking, securities brokerage, and insurance. Financial applications
include any application of software or hardware to prepare, process...
client platforms certified as a branded "Runs on GEFS" client will
contain the financial services industry's leading security and
authentication features. The GEFS Java computing architecture provides an
authentication model in which...

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00579896 91-54243
International Banking: Germany
Koch, Ulrich
International Financial Law Review International Banking Supplement PP:
87-91 Sep 1991
ISSN: 0262-6969 JRNL CODE: IFL

...ABSTRACT: and London. Some German banks are corporations, limited liability companies, or partnerships, but a substantial part of the industry is state owned. Germany's banking system is a so-called universal banking system, where banks are not divided into commercial banks, investment, or merchant banks and where the banking operations are not separated from stock markets operations...

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00577462 91-51809
The 20th Annual All-America Research Team
Anonymous
Institutional Investor v25n12 PP: 81-145 Oct 1991
ISSN: 0020-3580 JRNL CODE: IL
WORD COUNT: 27181

...TEXT: on book-to-bill, demand and pricing changes. They say he writes a terrific monthly industry piece, as well. Says a fan, "Jim's coverage of electronic-distributor stocks gives him added perspective." Merrill's Kurlak, now in second place, was lukewarm on semiconductors...

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2222092 Supplier Number: 02222092 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
FAST GROWTH SETS UP FIGHT IN AUSTRALIA
(Australia's asset management market is forecast to grow 238% in 1998-2015, to some Aus\$1.184 tril, and US firms are competing)
Pensions & Investments, p 14
August 10, 1998
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal ISSN: 1050-4974 (United States)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 789

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:
...fund managers.

Australia has seen growth of local banks as both fund managers and retail distributors of investment products.

Meanwhile, the fastest-growing part of the superannuation industry is retail, according to the Insurance and Superannual Commission, Canberra, Australia. Contri- butions rose 42...

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DIALOG(R)File 624:McGraw-Hill Publications
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0219320

FIELDS OF DREAMS: THE WEST GETS A CRACK AT SOVIET OIL: The Kremlin is
allowing foreign drillers to explore vast tracts
Business Week June 11, 1990; Pg 36; Number 3163
Journal Code: BW ISSN: 0007-7135
Section Heading: International Business
Word Count: 755 *Full text available in Formats 5, 7 and 9*

BYLINE:

Mark Maremont in London, with Rose Brady in Moscow, Stewart Toy in Paris,
and bureau reports

TEXT:

...follow.

'HIGH POTENTIAL.' In Elf's case, the company will retain control of all
exploration, investment, and production. Elf will split any oil it
finds with the Soviets on a yet-to-be-announced percentage basis,
industry sources say. "This could very well serve as a legal precedent,"
adds Martin G. Pranga...

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01987872 Supplier Number: 43561112 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Consumer electronics stagnate, semiconductors boom in Korea
NTIS Alert Foreign Technology, v93, n1, pN/A
Jan 1, 1993
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 2027

... investment, the three major players, Samsung, Goldstar, and
Hyundai, account for approximately 80%.

According to industry analysts, the major portion of the above
investment will be allocated for semiconductor production. Such
investment was expected to total \$1.5 billion in 1992. This breaks down to
\$500 million...

19930101

15/3,K/6 (Item 1 from file: 621)
DIALOG(R)File 621:Gale Group New Prod. Annou. (R)
(c) 2003 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

01152610 Supplier Number: 41805260 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
New PRESOURCE III (TM) Bottomless Activation Module
News Release, p1
Jan 21, 1991
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 280

... no way
limits interior arrangement or decor."

The PRESOURCE III (TM) bottomless activation module is part of the
industry's broadest line of distribution options
The complete Walker

offering of PLEC (power, lighting, electronics, communication)
distribution systems also includes underfloor...

19910121

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0267350 DC007
MUTUAL FUND INDUSTRY LEADERS SAY GROWTH TO CONTINUE IN THE 1990S

DATE: May 10, 1990 10:33 EDT WORD COUNT: 770

...Silver also commented positively on the compromise that has been developed under National Association of Securities Dealers (NASD) jurisdiction on fund **distribution** costs under SEC Rule 12b-1: "With agreement in principle on the **part** of the **industry** and the SEC staff that fund distribution-related expenses should be viewed as sales charges...

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03874030 Supplier Number: 45565351 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Mexico pitches for BC firms
International Gas Report, pN/A
May 26, 1995
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 110

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:
...Westcoast Energy Inc and BC Gas Inc. In a press conference Pagaza said:
"A key **piece** of Mexican gas **industry** development is the promotion of national and foreign **investment** in gas transportation, storage and **distribution**. New legislation allows totally free repatriation and profit." While Petroleos Mexicanos (Pemex) will maintain control...
19950526

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02870376 Supplier Number: 43867342 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Manulife Takes Own Course On Illustrations
National Underwriter Life & Health-Financial Services Edition, p1
May 31, 1993
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 818

... income and real estate, and T-bills value cash equivalents.
Observers noted the 25 percent **allocated** to **stocks** is high, given the **industry** 's historical **percentages** for stocks which, according to the American Council of Life Insurance, have been below 10...
19930531

15/3,K/10 (Item 3 from file: 16)
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01666720 Supplier Number: 42068459
Brake speeds ahead
Motor Transport, p2
May 9, 1991
Language: English Record Type: Abstract
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

Brakes Bros (UK), frozen food supplier to the catering industry, is as part of a GBP12 mil vehicle and warehouse investment programme, opening its fifth distribution hub in Highbridge, UK. The firm reported a 34% increase in turnover, according to preliminary...

19910509

15/3,K/11 (Item 1 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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04365560 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
MEXICO: ELECTRICITY TARIFF HIKES IMPLEMENTATION STARTS JAN '99
INTERNATIONAL MARKET INSIGHT REPORTS
February 09, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: FIMI LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 377

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... establish a transparent pricing policy in order to avoid the financial deterioration of the electric sector ;

- To promote the rational use and conservation of energy, according to the National Development Plan;

- To provide increased income for investment in generating plants, transmission and distribution lines in a timely manner;

- To reduce the differential among residential and agricultural service tariffs...

19990209

15/3,K/12 (Item 2 from file: 20)
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03979481 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Gilts keep banks in safety vault
BUSINESS LINE
January 09, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: FBLN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 544

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... 50 the costs too would be shared accordingly. Applying this yardstick for these 24 public sector banks, the portion of operating costs which could be apportioned to investment activity would be around Rs. 3,200 crores.

This amount translates into a cost of...

19990109

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03812371 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Investors press for Tarmac deal; Tarmac and Aggregate Industries
SUNDAY TIMES (UNITED KINGDOM)
December 20, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: FSTM LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 420

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... head the contracting business.
Simms has made it clear he wants Tarmac to play a part in the industry's consolidation, but he is not prepared to sell out on the cheap. A Tarmac adviser said: 'The proposed split of the shares did not reflect the size of Tarmac's business. If Aggregate wants to take...

19981220

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02352982 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Uzbek president harangues cabinet on 23rd July
Excerpts from report by Uzbek TV on 23rd July
BBC MONITORING SERVICE
July 29, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WBMS LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 3877

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... reached 150bn soms, which is a third of GDP.
About 55 per cent of the investments were allocated for developing production sectors, a considerable portion was channelled into developing transport and communications, the fuel and power sector, agriculture and the...

19980729

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01548879
TSUM CASE ENTERS COURT TODAY
PARI DAILY
May 04, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WPAD LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 133

... The Group is interested in projects in the power sector, the telecommunications, and the tobacco industry. The larger part of the DM 9.5 million investment allocated on Tsum will be materialised in the first year, Regent Pacific stated.
Today the Supreme...

19980504

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01000057

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MEASURING PERFORMANCE OF TRADING INSTRUMENTS WITHIN A
MARKET

SYSTEME ET PROCEDE DE MESURE DE PERFORMANCE D'INSTRUMENTS DE NEGOCIATION
DANS UN MARCHE

Publication Year: 2003

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00855012

SECURED PRINCIPAL SHAREHOLDER INVESTMENT SYSTEM
SYSTEME D'INVESTISSEMENT A CAPITAL SECURISE POUR ACTIONNAIRE
Publication Year: 2001

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00806392

TECHNOLOGY SHARING DURING ASSET MANAGEMENT AND ASSET TRACKING IN A
NETWORK-BASED SUPPLY CHAIN ENVIRONMENT AND METHOD THEREOF

PARTAGE TECHNOLOGIQUE LORS DE LA GESTION ET DU SUIVI DU PARC INFORMATIQUE
DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT DU TYPE CHAINE D'APPROVISIONNEMENT RESEAUTE, ET
PROCEDE ASSOCIE

Publication Year: 2001

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00764915

IMAGE MAKING MEDIUM
SUPPORT DE FORMATION D'IMAGE
Publication Year: 2000

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00738061

METHOD AND SYSTEM CONSTITUTING A VIRTUAL COLLECTIVE ENTITY FOR
MARKET-EFFICIENT RETAIL PURCHASE OF GOODS AND SERVICES

PROCEDE ET SYSTEME CONSTITUANT UNE ENTITE VIRTUELLE COLLECTIVE POUR L'ACHAT
EFFICACE DE BIENS ET DE SERVICES AU DETAIL

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... determined by the accumulated irrevocable bids in hand. When a
collective bid is accepted, the **shares** obtained are **distributed** in
accordance with the rules of the auction, which determines the number of
shares each become a **major player** in the financial markets.

The electronic bids preferably are made by the consumer investors via...

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00956963

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR INSURING AGAINST INVESTMENT LOSS
PROCEDE ET SYSTEME D'ASSURANCE CONTRE LES PERTES SUR PLACEMENTS
Publication Year: 2002

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DIALOG(R) File 267: Finance & Banking Newsletters
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00039568

Bankers' Views, The virtual round table.
Euromoney Magazine
February 00, 1998 PAGE: 50, 055 DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSLETTER
PUBLISHER: EUROMONEY ELECTRONIC PUBLICATIONS
LANGUAGE: ENGLISH WORD COUNT: 3506 RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

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TEXT:

...need to continue to maintain some
control over their economies, and a well-regulated banking sector
is an integral part of this.

Botin: Banks are changing very fast as a result of technology and
the...have greater
capital strength lead to a higher level of efficiency and greater
benefits from investments in distribution and technology.

Breuer: In principle, a revival of the concept of the financial
conglomerate is...not just be a domestic phenomenon, and I
do expect to see the emergence of significant regional players
within the next five years.

M|hlemann: In Europe I see two forces at work...

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Cement industry needs attention

Haseeb Haider

NATION (PAKISTAN)

March 30, 1998

JOURNAL CODE: WTNP LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 1304

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... thus having negative impact on its profitability of Rs 192.42 million.

Gharibwal Cement another top 25 companies of the country made profit of Rs 94.21 million in 1994 made huge losses...share. Now the industry seeks to employ a market intervention strategy whose objective is to distribute market shares in an orderly and collectively agreed manner, in order to prevent prices from collapsing. The...

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00813066 94-62458

Regulating the distribuion of savings and investment products: Retrospect and prospect

Devlin, James F; Ennew, Christine T

International Journal of Bank Marketing v11n7 PP: 3-10 1993

ISSN: 0265-2323 JRNL CODE: IJB

WORD COUNT: 5796

...TEXT: pursuit of greater consumer protection, the Act focused particular attention on regulating the promotion and distribution of savings and investment products.

According to the Gower Report (Gower, 1982), it was in relation to these activities...

... associated with salesforce training and management notwithstanding, personal selling was identified as central to the distribution of savings and investment for the majority of manufacturers and retailers. Thus, for example, Kiely (1990) notes a 42 per cent increase in the size of salesforces used by the major insurance companies between the end of 1987 and early 1990. However, increased costs and increased competition were... the Financial Services Act 1986 has not been successful as an attempt to regulate the distribution of savings and investment products.

PRE-CONTRACTUAL PROBLEMS

The main pre-contractual or adverse selection problem is encountered when ...to be the stronger of the two. The result is that self-interest on the part of the industry is often given preference over consumer concerns. As such a tendency is likely to be...

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00727948 93-77169

Human Populations and Natural Resource Demands

Bowyer, Jim L.

Montana Business Quarterly v30n2 PP: 15-20 Summer 1992

ISSN: 0026-9921 JRNL CODE: MBQ

WORD COUNT: 3373

...TEXT: expanding populations will require a combination of new resource development strategies, technological advancement, and capital investment. Economic and distribution systems will need to be improved as well.

If society fails to adequately protect natural...establishing rules and guidelines. Government units also commonly review proposals--usually initiated by business and industry interests--as part of approval processes. Until recently, assuming that citizen requirements (for food, shelter, employment, etc.) and...

...dues-paying members may oppose population control measures.

A COMBINATION OF THE THREE?

Thus, each major participant in the United States environmental planning and action process offers its own specific expertise, and...

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Dismantling financial disclosure regulations: Testing the Stigler-Benston hypothesis

Okcabol, Fahrettin; Tinker, Tony

Accounting Auditing & Accountability Journal v6n1 PP: 10-38 1993

ISSN: 0951-3574 JRNL CODE: AAJ

WORD COUNT: 12570

...TEXT: consolidated data (Collins, 1975; Collins and Simonds, 1979). Collectively, these studies suggested that unpublished material **investment** information **confers** a distinct advantage on those who are privy to it.

Several assumptions underlying the signalling...observe that such claims represent "a triumph of ideology over scholarship". Not only did the leading Wall Street firms lobby against significant provisions of the acts that were eventually accepted, but these firms then... or in registration files.

Palmer's Monopoly Index is a firm's sales as a **percentage** of its **industry** sales multiplied by its industry's barriers to entry index. The barriers to entry index...

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00590094 92-05267

Forecast 1992: Guest What? Housing and Manufacturing Are Driving the U.S. Economic Recovery

Ozanian, Michael K.

Financial World v161n1 PP: 24-28, 32-73 Dec 24, 1991/Jan 7, 1992

ISSN: 0015-2064 JRNL CODE: TWO

WORD COUNT: 11210

...TEXT: stocks. Says Frank Russell's Janine Baldrige, a vice president of the company's asset **allocation** group: "As **bonds** look less attractive relative to stocks, more money will move to stocks." In addition, individual... management services, with a client list that includes United Airlines and McDonald's, HealthCare's **shares** are up 293% and have **split** twice since December 1990.

Chemicals*Plastics

If he had to bet his paycheck on chemical...

...says Horan.

Armstrong will also benefit from the 1988 recapitalization of Interco, one of its **main competitors**, which is now in Chapter 11 and is too weak financially to take on Armstrong... sheet seems to have hit the pricing bottom in September, and this grade should take **part** in the **industry's** recovery. Prices will remain depressed in the tissue market, particularly on the consumer side... positioned over the long term to gain volume and grow. Furthermore, he expects exports, a **significant** market for **companies** such as USX-U.S. Steel Group, Allegheny Ludlum and New Jersey Steel in 1991...

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00575475 91-49824

North America's Communication Industry Global Strategies for Three
Northern American Companies

Budwey, James N.

Telecommunications (International Edition) v25n10 PP: 224-236 Oct 1991

JRNL CODE: TIE

WORD COUNT: 6108

...ABSTRACT: of aggressive and sophisticated competitors and the strengths of those currently entrenched with dominant market shares. Communications services are divided into several major segments. Local exchange carriers provide the local services and are made up...

...TEXT: industry is vibrant and in constant flux. The recession of 1990-91 has impacted various portions of the industry, stimulating growth in some segments and contracting it in others. New communication services are continuously... including opening the local monopoly to competition and ratepayer safeguards. Next year, many of the major participants in the industry will be embroiled in this issue.

In the US, private business networks...audio at very reasonable costs and bandwidth requirements. Compression Labs, Inc. and PictureTel are the leading market participants in North America and both have systems capable of delivering high-quality business video at...

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00561958 91-36313

Ameritech: Weiss Pulls No Punches

Wilson, Carol; Karpinski, Richard

Telephony v221n3 PP: 36-42 Jul 15, 1991

ISSN: 0040-2656 JRNL CODE: TPH

WORD COUNT: 3559

...ABSTRACT: future of his company and the telecommunications industry. The telecommunications industry currently has 10-15 major players all trying to come together to provide ubiquitous information services. Although other countries are beginning...

...TEXT: policy there is clear. We can get economic return over time on a massive switching investment.

In the distribution plant, however, there isn't any way to (justify) the massive capital cost of distribution...

... public interest area. It has more of the characteristics of a monopoly than any other part of the industry. It needs to be treated carefully. Pricing must be governed. Fairness has to be an...

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00531008 91-05352

Asian Investment Guide 1991

Miller, Gregory P.; Cheung, Robert Y. K.; Snelgrove, John; Tryde, Peter; Greenwood, Mark

Asian Business v27n1 PP: 49-94 Jan 1991

ISSN: 0254-3729 JRNL CODE: ABN

WORD COUNT: 8820

...TEXT: restrictions on the amount or kind of stock foreign investors can own. Several of the major Hong Kong companies quoted are also listed on exchanges outside Hong Kong.

Taxation: Foreigners are not subject to...

... in broadcasting companies, and a bar on non-residents owning any shares in the two major telephone companies, Nippon Telegaph and Telephone (NTT) and Kokusai Denshin Denwa (KDD).

Taxation: The standard withholding tax...and frustrating, though by law many Thai companies may be up to 49% foreign-owned (percentages vary according to sector). But companies themselves often choose to limit foreign ownership further.

Taxation: Foreign individual investors face...London -- considered the world's gold capital -- for their reference price. Twice a day, the top five bullion firms there meet to set an equilibrium price, based on supply and demand, for all buying... fully from unit trusts, investors should recognise that the instruments are designed as long-term investments and so should allocate only surplus funds not needed in the near future.

'Umbrella' funds allows investors to obtain...companies.

Another problem is that few Japanese marketmakers can be bothered with retail investors. The major players are mutual funds and banks.

Two brokers that will deal for individual investors are Nomura...

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Animal Health Industry : The Participants: Part Two

(Part two of three-part article reports on participants in the global animal health sector; includes table ranking top 20 firms, which collectively hold 76.7% of the market)

Medical & Healthcare Marketplace Guide, v 1, p I-194+

1998

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Ranking; Industry Overview (United States)

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 3049

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Animal Health Industry : The Participants: Part Two

...(three-part article reports on participants in the global animal health sector; includes table ranking top 20 firms, which collectively hold 76.7% of the market)

ABSTRACT:

...examines participants in the global animal health care sector. In 1997, about 18 of the top 20 firms in the field were related to pharmaceutical, life sciences or chemical firms. The article includes a

table of the top 20 firms in animal health by 1997 sales in US dollars and indicates how much of a percentage is driven by regulated products. The top 10 firms have 57.6% of the global market, while the top 20 have 76.7%. The...

TEXT:

...food additives companies by acquisition.

In 1997 some eighteen of the animal health industry's top twenty companies, and all of the top ten companies, were divisions or business units of pharmaceutical, life sciences, or chemical companies. The salient point...

...in the top twenty rankings (at number 16 and number 18, respectively). The other eighteen top companies are divisions of larger public companies and are not in total control of their destinies...with their buying power has also forced preemptive merger and acquisition moves to protect market shares, gain portfolio breadth and distribution and supply leverage.

d. Producer customers' continuing shift to disease prevention versus therapeutic treatment. This...

...growing number of mergers and acquisitions, there has been significant concentration of power in the top ten competitors who now account for about 58% of total industry sales. The top twenty competitors in the total industry are listed in the table below (feed nutritionals are included).

Top Twenty Participants in \$17 Billion Animal Health Industry in 1997 (*)

Company	Sales (\$ millions)	Rank	Regulated Products (%)
Merial....			

...the pet food industry in size and is near the \$1 billion level in revenue.

Major integrated food companies like Cargill, ConAgra, Cenex Harvest States (a cooperative), ADM, and Koch Agriculture Company do not...to sustain R&D and pipeline flow and essential global marketing reach to be a top tier competitor. May possess distinctive regional and/or niched market species strengths. The business lacks adequate resources...

27/3,K/9 (Item 2 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R) File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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2222345 Supplier Number: 02222345 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
UNC ENDOWMENT REVAMPED: U.S. STOCK, BOND EXPOSURE CUT, BUT PRIVATE EQUITY UP

(University of North Carolina endowment fund CIO Mark Yusko plans to grow fund to \$1 bil in two years vs \$750 mil now)

Pensions & Investments, p 3

August 10, 1998

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal ISSN: 1050-4974 (United States)

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 1385

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

ABSTRACT:

...the endowment fund at University of Notre Dame (South Bend, IN) has already altered the allocation of investments, putting more in

international equity and reducing fixed-income investments and building the private equity...

TEXT:

...program, targeting 15% of assets, up from 3%.

His targets for the fund's asset allocation are 25% domestic equities; 15% international equities, of which about one-third is emerging markets; 10% opportunistic equities; 10...

...best funds, which is why they wanted an experienced officer who could build relationships with top firms," he said.

Michael K. Hooker, chancellor, said Mr. Yusko emerged as the best candidate for...

...relationship-oriented, and praised Mr. Yusko for having the connections to "get into the better part of the sector."

"What's more important, is he understands complex investment strategies and then can explain them..."

27/3,K/10 (Item 3 from file: 9)
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2052740 Supplier Number: 02052740 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
APPAREL (PROTECTIVE MEDICAL APPAREL)

(US protective medical apparel sales will rise to \$1.7 bil in 1997, up 7%/yr vs \$1.39 bil in 1994 and \$1.3 bil in 1993; surgical drapes, packs & components currently account for 37% of market, medical gloves for 32% & protective wearing apparel for 20%)

Medical & Healthcare Marketplace Guide, p N/A
January 1997

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal (United States)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 1199

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

ABSTRACT:

...the complexities that challenge medical professionals and the medical device industry in this area.

One part of this industry is protective medical apparel, which has blossomed into a billion dollar plus market and which...
...market and stand out because of their strong competitive roles. These companies are also the major competitors in the healthcare nonwovens industry; they have multiple roles as fabric producers, finished product manufacturers...

TEXT:

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One part of this industry is protective medical apparel, which has blossomed into a billion dollar plus market and which...

...market and stand out because of their strong competitive roles. These companies are also the major competitors in the healthcare nonwovens industry; they have multiple roles as fabric producers, finished product manufacturers...

...major managed care alliances, all of which present major obstacles to weaker companies.

1,
The remaining shares of the market are divided among a diverse group of companies, which includes

27/3,K/11 (Item 4 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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1718150 Supplier Number: 01718150 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Taking Stock; Part 2 of 3 Parts
(The number of Chinese stock investors has risen considerably to the present level of around 20 mil)
China Business Review, v 24, n 1, p 8+
January 1997
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Geographic Profile ISSN: 0163-7169 (United States)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 2729

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

...that the China market was relatively illiquid -- and that most PRC shares represented only the best firms in the State sector, the least profitable part of China's economy.

An early player in the China market, the Templeton Emerging Markets...

...apply to buy into IPOs through the lottery system are selected. A second system for allocating new shares has also been introduced, in which the investor deposits funds for a certain number of...

27/3,K/12 (Item 5 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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1589956 Supplier Number: 01589956 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Global Re Competition Reaches Olympic Levels: Underwriting Results
(Global reinsurance industry's combined ratio declined to 106.8% in 1994, vs 108% in 1993; financial margins improved to 6.3% in 1994)
National Underwriter Property & Casualty, n 35, p s6+
August 26, 1996
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Industry Overview ISSN: 1042-6841 (United States)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 4337

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

ABSTRACT:

...ratio history for reinsurance by industry tier, return on revenue for reinsurers by tier and percentage change in reinsurance industry ASF from 1993 to 1994.

TEXT:

...tier reinsurers continued to outperform their global peers on an operating basis, while a few major players sought to shore up reserve margins for the unknown events of the future.

However, participants...

1,
...are expected to have a minimal impact on the global reinsurance market, but a few top tier companies have chosen to augment their security even further with loss reserve corrections.

Standard & Poor's...but to some degree fairly similar by country of domicile. In some broad sense, the investment allocations within many countries many countries has a degree of correlation with the various risk portfolios...

...the market's secure players once again led the pack in augmenting capital. The 29 top tier companies experienced an above average 15.8 percent increase in surplus funds, which represented 59 percent...2.45 times in 1994 from 2.37 times in 1993. Despite strong capital growth, top tier players reported the highest reserves leverage by far at 2.96 times, since German and Swiss...

...may considerably understate both assets and surplus for global reinsurers based in Germany and Switzerland.

Percentage Change In Reinsurance Industry ASF From 1993 To 1994
Tier 1 15.8%
Tier 2 14.4%
Tier 3...s believes that European reinsurers will soon face challenges in a number of areas. Even top tier players in the market are likely to show some deterioration in financial strength but are expected...

27/3,K/13 (Item 6 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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1298322 Supplier Number: 01298322 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
From bank to total finance provider
(Banks in good position to capture middle-market sales for life insurance products; major life insurance offerings from banks profiled)
Bank Marketing International, n 64, p 8
October 1995
DOCUMENT TYPE: Newsletter; Industry Overview ISSN: 0791-2765 (Ireland)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 1322

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

ABSTRACT:

...projected 1996 sales to \$400 mil.

Full text look at opportunities for banks to become major players in the insurance sector. Full text looks at cooperative operating strategy of Western National Corp...

TEXT:

...terms and conditions, while using banks as mere distribution centres.

Using Western's sales and distribution strategy, banks manage the investments behind each annuities sale. Their agents are trained to sell annuities at branch level, and...

...impending removal of legislative restrictions will place greater pressure on competitors within the financial services industry.

Vying for a piece of the insurance/investment pie, his bank currently offers life, disability, and long-term care...through independent and on-staff investment representatives. Chemical moves its products through a traditional agent distribution force, while its mutual funds and annuities are sold by representatives of its investment unit.

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce...

27/3,K/14 (Item 1 from file: 624)

DIALOG(R) File 624:McGraw-Hill Publications
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**THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE: MUTUAL FUNDS: INVESTORS ARE POURING IN CASH TO THE
TUNE OF \$500 MILLION A DAY**

Business Week February 24, 1986; Pg 54; Number 2934

Journal Code: BW ISSN: 0007-7135

Word Count: 2,172 *Full text available in Formats 5, 7 and 9*

BYLINE:

Jeffrey M. Laderman, with Vicky Cahan in Washington, Christopher S. Eklund
in Philadelphia, John N. Frank in Chicago, and Lois Therrien in Boston

TEXT:

... a sales charge are called "load" funds; those without, "no load."
Companies such as Fidelity Investments or Dreyfus provide investment
management, distribution, and administration in return for an annual
fee, the major source of their income. But...

... funds last year. Where mutual funds were once a sideshow to picking
stocks, all the major firms now push them aggressively. Insurance
companies, some of which sell mutual funds through their agents...

... the Vanguard Group's growth in assets last year came as "institutional"
business, and other major fund companies are going after it. Amivest
Capital Management manages \$325 million by using mutual funds. "We...could
stunt some of the growth in the IRA business, but that is still a small
part of the industry. Even without it, there's plenty of growth
potential. Equity mutual funds, for example, account..."

27/3,K/15 (Item 1 from file: 813)

DIALOG(R) File 813:PR Newswire

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0230892

NY044

GUEST SUPPLY YEAR-END RESULTS

DATE: December 29, 1989

15:58 EST

WORD COUNT: 744

...which was made in our manufacturing facility and in the
expansion of our sales and distribution network. Investments at the
plant included equipment to reduce direct labor cost and inventory
control systems that...

...that on a direct basis our cost position is favorable to
other companies in the industry. However, a portion of this quarter's
loss can be attributed to a negative manufacturing variance caused by...

...variance. The contract
manufacturing agreements we have recently entered into with several
companies, including two major consumer products companies, should
provide the volume necessary to achieve a positive manufacturing
variance in fiscal 1990.

"Another..."

27/3,K/16 (Item 1 from file: 16)

DIALOG(R) File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)

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03818565

Supplier Number: 45451349 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

WIRELESS CABLE BOOSTED

Television Digest, v35, n14, pN/A

April 3, 1995

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 651

... telcos' \$100 million investment in one firm comes 4 years after industry analyst said all major wireless cable firms could be bought for \$35-\$40 million. Telcos were willing to make investment because of...

...called telco investment "Good Housekeeping seal of approval" for wireless cable. Schmidt said deal is part of industry consolidation that "will help companies reach the appropriate economies of scale." No single event caused...

...He said "whole premise of wireless cable has become more recognized."
BA and Nynex will split \$100 million investment equally, each providing \$15 million in first-stage loan that gives them warrant that can

19950403

27/3,K/17 (Item 2 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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03813757 Supplier Number: 45441806 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
BACK ON TRACK: THE CHALLENGE FOR LATIN AMERICAN ISSUERS IN 1995
LatinFinance, pS66
April, 1995
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 3805

... Much of the recent growth in mutual funds has been most evident in the international portion of the industry. International and global fund net inflows approached US\$40 billion in both 1993 and 1994...kind of resilience since late December with respect to their Latin American (and emerging markets) investments.

The amount of foreign capital allocated to the region will be enough to allow active participation in new issues in the...common themes will be prominent in their investment criteria.

First and foremost, investors will favor top-quality companies. A well positioned issuer will need to be able to offer investors an opportunity to...

19950401

27/3,K/18 (Item 3 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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03809334 Supplier Number: 45433561 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
RBOCs PUMP \$100 MILLION INTO WIRELESS CABLE FIRM, SPURRING CONSOLIDATION
Communications Daily, v15, n61, pN/A
March 30, 1995
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 600

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

...million investment in single firm comes just 4 years after one industry analyst said all major wireless cable firms could be bought for \$35-\$40 million.

... platform for the information highway (and) validates us as a player." Schmidt said deal is part of industry consolidation that "will help companies reach the appropriate economies of scale." No single

event caused...

...CAI expects to begin conversion to digital next year, officials said.

BA and Nynex will split \$100 million investment equally, each providing \$15 million in first-stage loan that gives them warrant that can

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27/3,K/19 (Item 4 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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03519846 Supplier Number: 44932222 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
South African Quota Debated
Billboard, v0, n0, p1
August 20, 1994
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; General
Word Count: 1334

... comply with the regulations, they say. Further, the document commits the music industry to greater investment in recording, distribution, and promotion of South African music.

None of the top 10 artists played on Radio...

...4% of all music played radio stations - despite many years of lobbying by the recording industry for a higher percentage. According to SAMCA, the trend is now accelerating - an ironic turn of events, considering the

...is, nonetheless, deeply involved in local music through subsidiaries such as CPP, one of the major players in the black music market.

EMI managing director Mike Edwards

19940820

27/3,K/20 (Item 5 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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02849493 Supplier Number: 43835379 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Cashing in on the opportunities of the Single Market
Packaging Week, v0, n0, p16
May 13, 1993
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 1512

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

THE strategic importance of a united European trading bloc has long been recognised by the major consumer goods companies, European brewers and the multinational soft drinks companies.

... in Europe is still relatively fragmented in spite of recent M&A activity, and the top 20 companies control only 12 per cent of the market, compared with more than 23 per cent...of used packaging.

The freedom to promote the packaging systems that provide consumer choice, pricing options, new distribution channels and cross border trade is being restricted by environmental legislation.

Germany's laws have...

...consequences for the development of sustainable economic solutions.

Apart from the need for a more rational debate, the industry also wants to see an end to the proliferation of national environmental measures that seriously...

19930513

27/3,K/21 (Item 1 from file: 148)
DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB
(c)2003 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

01760578 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 02730216 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
The new structure of housing. (advertising supplement)
O'Toole, Edward
Forbes, v131, p1A(6)
April 25, 1983
CODEN: FORBA ISSN: 0015-6914 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE:
FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 2798 LINE COUNT: 00224

... growth in the Fifties largely resulted from the housing boom. Home building constituted a major part of the construction industry. New houses meant new washing machines, new refrigerators, new TV sets and a broad array...during the past four or five years with a full complement of traders, underwriters and distributors of mortgage-backed securities to institutional investors. E. F. Hutton is a major factor in all areas of the

...as Freddie Mac or The Mortgage Corporation).

As the middlemen in the secondary market, the major Wall Street firms are in an excellent position to read the discernible trends in the housing industry. The...

19830425

27/3,K/22 (Item 1 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
(c) 2003 The Dialog Corp. All rts. reserv.

02634372 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
1997 U.S. INVESTMENT IN BRAZIL AT \$36 BILLION
INTERNATIONAL MARKET INSIGHT REPORTS
August 20, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: FIMI LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 3235

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... THE PETROLEUM PRODUCTS RETAIL DISTRIBUTION NETWORK (EXXON AND TEXACO HAVE TRADITIONALLY RANKED AMONG BRAZIL'S TOP TEN DOMESTIC FIRMS), ROSE 59 PERCENT IN THE YEAR.

* INSURANCE FUELS FINANCE GROWTH
5. FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL...

... SOUTH AMERICA IS HIGHLY CONCENTRATED IN THE "OTHER INDUSTRIES" CATEGORY WITH A 16 PERCENT SHARE. DIVIDING THE "OTHER INDUSTRIES" INVESTMENT 16 PERCENT SHARE BY THE SEVE PERCENT WEIGHTING FOR THIS SECTOR GLOBALLY YIELDS A CR...OR TRANSFORMED INTO DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES IN THE NEXT FEW YEARS. U.S. BANKS ARE ALREADY MAJOR PLAYERS IN THE MARKET (FIVE ARE AMONG THE TOP 50 BANKS IN THE COUNTRY AND TWO... WAS SUPPRESSED TO PROTECT BUSINESS CONFIDENTIALITY.

TABLE

US DIRECT INVESTMENT PROFILE SOUTH AMERICA AND WORLD (PERCENTAGE SHARES, 1997)

SECTOR WORLD SOUTH S. AMERICA BRAZIL

AMERICA EX BRAZIL ONLY - PETROLEUM 10 10 16 5 MANU...

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27/3,K/23 (Item 2 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
(c) 2003 The Dialog Corp. All rts. reserv.

02549753 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
VIETNAM: OIL & GAS INDUSTRY (1) (,)
U.S. and Foreign Commercial Service (US&FCS)
INDUSTRY SECTOR ANALYSIS
July 07, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: FISA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 5763

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... estimated unofficially.
Future Inflation Assumed: 6%
For 1996, Imported Market Shares (Percentage for US and Major Competitors)
USA: 5%; Russia 20%; Singapore: 30%; Thailand: 11%; Taiwan: 18%;
Australia: 4%; South Korea: 3...refinery project
1,300
11 Gas transportation to onshore 400
12 Projects for production/sales/ distribution of products632
13 Investment for scientific research and other services 50
Total 10,512
Projects to be Invested (, US...

... producing urea is also planned in northern Vietnam, using gas resources
Foreign companies can take part in the petrochemical industry not only
as material and equipment suppliers, but also investors.

E. Competitive Situation
Domestic Oil...

19980707

27/3,K/24 (Item 1 from file: 625)
DIALOG(R)File 625:American Banker Publications
(c) 2003 American Banker. All rts. reserv.

0065563
Morgan Executive Decries Capital Market Restrictions: The following
testimony was delivered by Roberto G. Mendoza, executive vice president
of Morgan Guaranty Trust Co., New York, before the Senate Committee on
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs on Oct. 13.
American Banker - November 3, 1987; Pg. 11; Vol. 152, No. 216
WORD COUNT: 2,317 (,)

TEXT:

...States strives to redress its international trade deficit,
it will need to look in greater part to the services sector . Strong,
competitive capital markets in this country can make a significant
contribution to our ability...

...can no longer take it for granted, however, that American firms
will continue to be major competitors in world markets or that American
capital markets will keep pace with markets located abroad...

...top five. By way of contrast, three of the top five and
seven of the top twenty firms today are Japanese.

In addition, it is worth noting that many of the leading American
securities firms , as they seek the capital and overseas know-how that
they
need to compete on...

...to foreign

investors. For example, a nearly 40% interest in First Boston, one of the leading American securities firms, is owned by an affiliate of Credit Suisse, a major foreign commercial bank doing business... taking and personal banking), American Express Bank Ltd. (international commercial banking), and Shearson Lehman Brothers (investment banking and commercial lending). Dividing up their banking activities in this manner denies them the economies that would be gained...

...here that we find it indeed strange that the United States permits some of our major competitors - the 15 foreign banks grandfathered under the International Banking Act of 1978 - to engage in...

...noted earlier, it has grown faster and at the expense of our own markets.

The top eight firms in the Eurobond market account for only about half of the debt underwritten in that market. In the Eurocommercial paper market the top five firms account for 41% of the commercial paper programs signed by the top 40 firms. These figures are based on nominal value, as the outstanding amounts of Eurocommercial paper are...home market. Those firms that do not have all three attributes are unlikely to be major competitors.

Because we generally deny firms the ability to offer both commercial and investment banking services...

27/3,K/25 (Item 2 from file: 625)
DIALOG(R)File 625:American Banker Publications
(c) 2003 American Banker. All rts. reserv.

0016313

Fidelity Finds Big Business in Discount Brokering for Banks
American Banker - April 28, 1983, Thursday; Pg. 1
WORD COUNT: 3,859

BYLINE:
By SCOTT McMURRAY

TEXT:
... industry. In the meantime, they warn, "the banks may attempt to enter the more profitable portions of the industry on a price basis, which would hurt all participants and still not give them a...

... of domestic banks offer or would consider offering discount brokerage services. Only a handful of major bank holding companies, such as BankAmerica and Chase Manhattan Corp., have been willing to make the commitment to...

...COMPANY NAMES (DIALOG GENERATED): Management ; Fidelity Service Co ; First Interstate Bancorp ; Kahn & Co ; Kansas City ; Kelly Associates ; Lipper Analytical Distributors Inc ; National Association of Securities Dealers ; National Financial Services Corp ; New England Mutual Life Insurance Co ; Pittsburgh Federated Investors ; Securities...

31/3,K/1 (Item 1 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00583132 91-57479

D. H. Blair & Co. Plans Split into Retail and Banking Sides
Treitler, Betsy; Sommar, Jessica
Investment Dealers Digest v57n46 PP: 6, 8 Nov 18, 1991
ISSN: 0021-0080 JRNL CODE: IDD
WORD COUNT: 610

...TEXT: 125 fully registered brokers. Maio said nothing will change in his division following the formalized split with investment banking.

Many major Wall Street firms have split into separate retail and banking divisions, but it's almost impossible to quantify...

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31/3,K/2 (Item 2 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00470932 89-42719

Mutual Fund Firms Eye Europe 1992
Vosti, Curtis
Pensions & Investment Age v17n22 PP: 43, 46 Oct 16, 1989
ISSN: 0273-5466 JRNL CODE: PNI

...ABSTRACT: managers without historic European ties face many challenges. Since the 1960s, European banks have become major players in the sale and distribution of mutual funds.

891016

31/3,K/3 (Item 3 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00202328 83-13889

Kabutocho - The Sting
Suzuki, Demosthenes
Euromoney PP: 146-147, 151, 154 Mar 1983
ISSN: 0014-2433 JRNL CODE: ERM

...ABSTRACT: the scale of manipulation has become more widely recognized. The Tokyo stock market is officially divided into first section shares, which include the largest and best -established firms, and second section shares, which include smaller and newer companies. There are a number of...

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31/3,K/4 (Item 4 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00139083 81-08889

Are There 'Natural' Market Structures?
Buzzell, Robert D.
Journal of Marketing v45n1 PP: 42-51 Winter 1981
ISSN: 0022-2429 JRNL CODE: JMK

...ABSTRACT: the Strategic Planning Institute. In addition, possible reasons for skewed size distributions is worth exploring. Distributions of the market shares of leading competitors in narrowly-defined product markets follow the identical pattern that has been found in previous...

810000

31/3,K/5 (Item 1 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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1763146 Supplier Number: 01763146 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Sales Of VAs Rocketed 44% To \$73.8 Billion Last Year
(Sales, assets, distribution, and performance of variable annuities, along with other data, provided in overview of 1996)
National Underwriter Life & Health, p 1+
February 24, 1997
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Industry Overview ISSN: 0028-033X (United States)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 1250

ABSTRACT:

...Of the \$501 bil in 1996 assets, the top 10 companies control 70% and the top 25 companies control 88%. Captive agency/controlled distribution declined 3%; regional investment firms grew by 7%; banks and credit unions grew by 4%; and direct sales grew...

31/3,K/6 (Item 2 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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1354486 Supplier Number: 01354486 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Tech stock fervor disturbing
(Separate account and commingled fund portfolio managers have a higher median allocation to the technology sector than managers of mutual funds)

Pensions & Investments, v 23, n 25, p 3+
December 11, 1995
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal ISSN: 1050-4974 (United States)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 1039

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

...the equation, the difference in behavior of large and small managers is dramatic.

For the top 100 investment companies and investment advisers, the median technology allocation is a whopping 25.6%, nearly double the 13.7% median allocation for all investment...

31/3,K/7 (Item 1 from file: 810)
DIALOG(R)File 810:Business Wire
(c) 1999 Business Wire . All rts. reserv.

0224715 BW694

FIRST CALL: Mabon Securities joins FIRST CALL

May 2, 1991

Byline: Business Editors

...financial institutions in Europe, acting as a long-term leader to Italian industry and a significant participant in mutual fund management and distribution. Mabon Securities, which traces its roots to Kingsley, Mabon & Duryea founded in 1892, is a member of...

31/3,K/8 (Item 1 from file: 476)
DIALOG(R)File 476:Financial Times Fulltext
(c) 2003 Financial Times Ltd. All rts. reserv.

0003516616 B06DCBFADEFT
Howl Of Protest Over Introduction Of ADR Tax / Effects of Britain's new tax on US trading of UK shares
ALEXANDER NICOLL
Financial Times, Section F2. ED, P 30
Wednesday, April 2, 1986
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
Word Count: 1,101

...the UK is hardly new. But British companies have joined the worldwide rush, encouraged by leading broking firms, to step up global distribution of their shares on the principle that tapping new sources of investment is good for the share price...

31/3,K/9 (Item 1 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
(c) 2003 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

01762205 Supplier Number: 42917751 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Too early for a Gulf bourse
Middle East News Network, pN/A
April 16, 1992
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 379

... such a trend the granting of stock dividends by a number of banks and the allocation of shares by major companies as has been the case with the Saudi Basic Industries Company (SABIC).

Asked if he...

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31/3,K/10 (Item 2 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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01634345 Supplier Number: 42530787 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
D. H. Blair To Separate Retail And Banking Sides
Going Public the IPO Reporter, v15, n46, pN/A
Nov 18, 1991
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 622

... 125 fully registered brokers. Maio said nothing will change in his division following the formalized split with investment banking.

Many major Wall Street firms have split into separate retail and banking divisions, but it's almost impossible to quantify...

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31/3,K/11 (Item 3 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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01431601 Supplier Number: 41895592 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
EUROMONITOR MARKET DIRECTION (DATA-STAR)
Online Newsletter, v12, n3, pN/A
March, 1991
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 240

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

...and leisure products. The reports analyze trends in market size, segmentation, sources of supply, retail distribution, major companies, market and brand shares, consumer profiles, advertising, new products, and future prospects. A report is provided for a product...
19910301

31/3,K/12 (Item 1 from file: 813)
DIALOG(R)File 813:PR Newswire
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0229851 NY093
WASTE MANAGEMENT ANNOUNCES STOCK OPTION PLAN FOR SEVERAL THOUSAND EMPLOYEES
IN NORTH AMERICA

DATE: December 21, 1989 15:54 EST WORD COUNT: 440

...to exercise them
unless their employment is terminated.

The company is one of the first major multi-national companies to distribute stock options broadly among employees. Most companies reserve options for senior management.

"Waste Management has been a...

31/3,K/13 (Item 1 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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03619283 Supplier Number: 45098529 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Swiss bank battle up to foreign shareholders
Pensions & Investments, p42
Oct 31, 1994
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 1323

... to tear down tough anti-takeover rules. The contest may have important repercussions for other major Swiss companies that have split their shares between registered and bearer form.

'We generally would agree and support such a proposal' eliminating...

19941031

31/3,K/14 (Item 2 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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01975651 Supplier Number: 42528783 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
D.H. Blair & Co. plans split into retail and banking sides

Investment Dealers' Digest, p6
Nov 18, 1991
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 621

... 125 fully registered brokers. Maio said nothing will change in his division following the formalized split with investment banking.

Many major Wall Street firms have split into separate retail and banking divisions, but it's almost impossible to quantify...

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31/3,K/15 (Item 3 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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01918360 Supplier Number: 42444866
Senshukai - Company Report
Investext, p1-5
Oct 15, 1991
Language: English Record Type: Abstract
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

...to March 1993.

Tables in report: Stock Price & Sales Data 1991-93; Distribution Centres Of Major Mail Order Companies ; Capital Investment Schedule 1987-95; Gift Distribution Centre Plan By Division; Sales, Margins, Per Share, Financial Position Data 1986-93; Financial Ratios...

19911015

31/3,K/16 (Item 1 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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04063414 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Business Day: EXPANDING HIGH FLIER AIMS FOR SHAKE UP IN BANKING
EVENING STANDARD, p44
January 20, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: FES LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 380

... faster - ETrade recently unveiled two moves that underscore its phenomenal rise from online obscurity to major -market player - a stock split and a new venture in investment banking.

19990120

31/3,K/17 (Item 2 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
(c) 2003 The Dialog Corp. All rts. reserv.

03721652 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Canada NewsWire Summary of Releases, Evening, Thursday, -3-
CANADA NEWSWIRE
December 10, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WCNW LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 362

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

c4130 - TORONTO : Loblaw Companies Limited announcement
(Loblaw-Provigo- shares)

c4138 - MONTREAL : California pet food distributor chooses Tecsys' EliteSeries over major competitors (a-Tecsys-chosen)
c4146 - VANCOUVER : Naftex Energy Corporation announces third quarter results (Naftex-third-quarter...)

19981210

31/3,K/18 (Item 3 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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03582507 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Etonian outsider who lost his touch in City
SECTION TITLE: News
NICK PRYER
EVENING STANDARD, p4
November 27, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: FES LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 737

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... the fuss was caused simply by the fact that BZW was the last British-owned major player in the investment market.

City analysts were divided. Some praised him for showing the courage to make a public U-turn. Others saw...

19981127

31/3,K/19 (Item 4 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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03273755 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
IN SHAKY MARKET, BLACKROCK LOOKS FOR RISK-AVERSE INVESTORS: ASSET MANAGER SHIFTS FOCUS TO RETAIL CLIENTS; LOOKS TO NEW OWNER AS CUSTOMER SOURCE
chris isidore
CRAIN'S NEW YORK BUSINESS, p16
October 19, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WCNY LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 551

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... State Street Research.

But BlackRock is far behind in recognition and investment dollars compared with major players such as American Fund Distributors, Franklin Distributors and Putnam Investments, each of which has at least \$150 billion in long-term assets under management.

BlackRock...

19981019

31/3,K/20 (Item 5 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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02654922 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Inline Software Corp. Formed to Deliver First Java Technology-Based Application Generator
PR NEWSWIRE
August 31, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WPRW LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 834

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... founder and lead engineer, who has developed systems
deployed on the trading floor of national securities exchanges and
distributed nationwide by leading financial services firms. He
played
pivotal roles at Fidelity Investments, Pan Canadian Petroleum, SBC
Warburg, Skyway, Synetics, UPS...

19980831

31/3,K/21 (Item 6 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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02084077 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
U.S. Filter to Acquire MEGA Systems & Chemicals, Inc.
PR NEWSWIRE
July 01, 1998 15:40
JOURNAL CODE: WPRW LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 388

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... Systems & Chemicals is a market leader in Chemical Mechanical
Planarization (CMP) distribution systems and a significant player in
the Bulk Chemical Distribution (BCD) market.
"MEGA shares a common vision and culture with USF Kinetics," said
David J. Shimon, president and chief...

19980701

31/3,K/22 (Item 7 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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01817094 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Foreigners Seek Increase in Limit on UES Stock Set by Law
INTERFAX
May 18, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 196

... in the share they are allowed to hold in the company under the law
on distribution of UES shares.

Around 10 major Western investment companies Friday sent a letter
to UES chief executive Anatoly Chubais asking for the situation to...

19980518

31/3,K/23 (Item 8 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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01725157 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
FOREIGNERS SEEK INCREASE IN LIMIT ON RUSSIA'S UES STOCK
INTERFAX
May 18, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 273

... in the stake they are allowed to hold in the company under the law on distribution of UES shares .

Around 10 major Western investment companies sent a letter to UES chief executive Anatoly Chubais May 15 asking for the situation...

19980518

31/3,K/24 (Item 9 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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01280386 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
The Seattle Times Northwest Quarterly Stock Report Column
Greg Heberlein
KRTBN KNIGHT-RIDDER TRIBUNE BUSINESS NEWS (SEATTLE TIMES)
April 01, 1998 19:17
JOURNAL CODE: KSET LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 1120

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... regional economic impact, gained 738.95 points to 5,750.40.

Among the region's best-known companies, Microsoft shares split 2-for-1 in February and headed higher. Even though the U.S. Justice Department...

19980401

31/3,K/25 (Item 1 from file: 625)
DIALOG(R)File 625:American Banker Publications
(c) 2003 American Banker. All rts. reserv.

0059633
Worth Reading: Friendly Aspects of Glass-Steagall: Noted Consultant Cites Powers Granted Banks by Current Law
American Banker - March 2, 1987; Pg. 14; Vol. 152, No. 41
WORD COUNT: 473

BYLINE:
- Lou Leventhal

TEXT:
...allow a substantial volume of investment banking business for banks. For instance, banks currently are major players as underwriters and distributors of permissible government securities, and private placement has become a well-established banking function.
So, too, have mergers and...

31/3,K/26 (Item 2 from file: 625)
DIALOG(R)File 625:American Banker Publications
(c) 2003 American Banker. All rts. reserv.

0021890
Road to Converting Can Be Fraught with Pitfalls: Dissident Shareholders May Object to Procedure, or May Attempt to Grab Control Themselves
American Banker - November 14, 1983, Monday; Pg. 31
WORD COUNT: 1,747

BYLINE:
By JOHN J. GAVIN and RONALD M. SCHNEIDER; When a mutually owned savings and loan association converts to stock ownership, there are perils that a farsighted management must take precautions to head off, say Mr. Gavin,

executive vice president, and Mr. Schneider, assistant vice president, at D.F. King & Co. Inc., New York, a proxy solicitation firm.

TEXT:

...of the shares, depending upon the size of the institution.

Underwritten public offerings permit rapid **distribution** of the stock issue. **Major investment banking firms** are better suited to handling large issues, while substantial regional firms can provide placement power

31/3,K/27 (Item 3 from file: 625)
DIALOG(R) File 625:American Banker Publications
(c) 2003 American Banker. All rts. reserv.

0008535

Justice Dept. Guidelines Provide Path to Detect Harmful Mergers

American Banker - July 23, 1982, Friday; Pg. 4

WORD COUNT: 3,035

TEXT:

... firms. While useful, this ratio can be very misleading because it fails to reflect the **distribution** of the market **shares** of the **top four firms** or the composition of the market outside them, each of which can affect very significantly...

35/3,K/1 (Item 1 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00060728 77-13123
LARGE FIRM DOMINANCE AND PRICE-COST MARGINS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
KWOKA, JOHN E., JR.
SOUTHERN ECONOMIC JOURNAL V44 N1 PP: 183-189 JULY 1977
ISSN: 0038-4038 JRNL CODE: SEJ

...ABSTRACT: THAN IN INDUSTRIES WITH EQUAL SIZE FIRMS OR WITH LARGE
CONCENTRATION RATIOS REGARDLESS OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF MARKET SHARES .
STRUCTURAL FEATURES OTHER THAN CONCENTRATION CAN BE TESTED IN PERFORMANCE
REGRESSIONS. HIGH DOMINANCE INDUSTRIES ARE...

... REEVALUATION. RESTRAINING SUCH MERGERS WITHOUT CHALLENGING THE LEADING
FIRMS WOULD NOT SEEM LIKELY TO IMPROVE INDUSTRY PERFORMANCE, BUT
ATTACKING DOMINANT FIRMS IN PARTICULAR APPEARS TO HAVE SUBSTANTIAL
SOCIAL BENEFITS. TABLES.

770000

35/3,K/2 (Item 1 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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1899810 Supplier Number: 01899810
Suzuken and Akiyama to Merge Next April
(Suzuken, a major pharmaceutical wholesaler, will merge with Akiyama, the
largest pharmaceutical wholesaler in Hokkaido, Japan)
Nihon Keizai Shimbun, p N/A
July 25, 1997
DOCUMENT TYPE: Business Newspaper (Japan)
LANGUAGE: Japanese RECORD TYPE: Abstract

ABSTRACT:
...1 of next year. Suzuken will be the going concern, with 0.32 of its
shares allocated per one Akiyama share. Due to the second consecutive
year of reductions in official drug...

...the business environment for pharmaceutical wholesalers has worsened
precipitously. Through the merger of the two major public companies ,
reorganization in the industry may accelerate. The name of the new
company is to be "Suzuken." Total sales for...

35/3,K/3 (Item 1 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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01233657 Supplier Number: 41257109 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Electronic Entertainment Sky Wars: Will the '90s Be the DBS Decade?
Electronic Services Update, pN/A
April, 1990
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 1237

... bird" and outside bank financing covering the \$375 million balance.
The enormous expansion of video distribution options that occurred
during the late '70s and '80s -- including licensed TV stations, VCR
ownership and cable subscribers and channels -- revolutionized the
entertainment industry. The leading media companies are scrambling
for control over the new markets to further expand entertainment
consumption. With terrestrial...

35/3,K/4 (Item 1 from file: 16)
 DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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03730418 Supplier Number: 45289937
 Interstate Bakeries - Company Report
 Investext, p1-18
 Jan 26, 1995
 Language: English Record Type: Abstract
 Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

...Baking Group, Interstate Bakeries would become the largest bakery company in the nation, with expanded distribution and stronger market shares in certain markets. With the consolidation of two major players, the overcrowded baking industry may finally gain some much-needed pricing flexibility. Consolidation benefits should make the acquisition additive...

19950126

35/3,K/5 (Item 1 from file: 20)
 DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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02227082 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
 Icarus Investments, Dallas Based Private Investment Fund, Increases Holdings In Citadel Technology by a Million Shares
 PR NEWSWIRE
 July 16, 1998 9:19
 JOURNAL CODE: WPRW LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
 WORD COUNT: 860

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... investment. Citadel has solidified its distribution channels and has completed its strategic alliances with the major players in the industry. Revenues continue to increase sequentially, as the Company is just beginning to reap the rewards...

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35/3,K/6 (Item 2 from file: 20)
 DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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02215141 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
 Icarus Investments, Dallas Based Private Investment Fund, Increases Holdings in Citadel Technology By a Million Shares
 BUSINESS WIRE
 July 15, 1998 8:55
 JOURNAL CODE: WBWE LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
 WORD COUNT: 833

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... investment. Citadel has solidified its distribution channels and has completed its strategic alliances with the major players in the industry. Revenues continue to increase sequentially, as the Company is just beginning to reap the rewards...

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